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Mick Blackistone, Treasurer
National Marine Manufacturers Association
Political Action Committee
3050 K Street NW #145
Washington, DC 20007

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Reference: October Quarterly Report (7/1/96-9/30/96)

Dear Mr. Blackistone:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Line 22 (which should be Line 23) of the Detailed Summary Page of your report discloses a total of \$20,500 in contributions to federal candidates/committees and other political committees. The sum of the entries itemized on Schedule B, however, indicates the total to be \$20,000. Please amend your report to clarify the discrepancy.

-The total listed on Line 22/23, Column B of the Detailed Summary Page appears to be incorrect. Please be advised that you should add the "Calendar Year-to-Date" total from your previous report to the current "Total This Period" figure from Column A to derive the correct Line 23, Column B total. Please amend your report and any subsequent reports that may be affected by this correction.

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530. My local number is (202) 219-3580.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Edward D. Ryan".

Edward D. Ryan
Reports Analyst
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